

GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH

ABSTRACT

Public Services – Revenue Department – Sri B.S.Narayana Reddy, the then Tahsildar, Chintalapudi Mandal now working as Special Deputy Collector, KRRC, Krishna District – Allegations of irregular issuance of enjoyment certificate, having known fully, regarding the cancellation of PPBs/ TDs by the R.D.O. Eluru – Disciplinary proceedings under rule – 20 of Andhra Pradesh Civil Services (Classification Control and Appeal) Rules, 1991 – Articles of charge – Issued.

REVENUE (VIGILANCE-I) DEPARTMENT

G.O.Rt.No.597

Dated:..23.06.2023

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ORDER:

It is proposed to hold an enquiry against Sri B.S.Narayana Reddy, the then Tahsildar, Chintalapudi Mandal now working as Special Deputy Collector, KRRC, Krishna District in accordance with the procedure laid down in Rule 20 of the Andhra Pradesh Civil Services (Classification, Control and Appeal) Rules, 1991.

2. The substance of the imputations of misconduct or misbehaviour in respect of which the inquiry is proposed to be held is set out in the enclosed statement of articles of charge (Annexure- I). A statement of imputations of misconduct / misbehaviour in support of each article of charge is enclosed (Annexure-II). A list of documents by which, and a list of witnesses by whom, the articles of charge proposed to be sustained are also enclosed (Annexures-III).

3. Sri B.S.Narayana Reddy, the then Tahsildar, Chintalapudi Mandal now working as Special Deputy Collector, KRRC, Krishna District is directed to submit his written statement of his defence, within 10 days from the date of receipt of this order.

4. Sri B.S.Narayana Reddy, the then Tahsildar, Chintalapudi Mandal now working as Special Deputy Collector, KRRC, Krishna District is informed that an inquiry will be held only in respect of those articles of charge as are not admitted. He should, therefore, specifically admit or deny each article of charge.

5. Sri B.S.Narayana Reddy, the then Tahsildar, Chintalapudi now working as Special Deputy Collector, KRRC, Krishna District is further informed that if he does not submit his written statement of defence on or before the date specified in para 3 above, further action will be processed based on the material available.

6. Attention of Sri B.S.Narayana Reddy, the then Tahsildar, Chintalapudi Mandal now working as Special Deputy Collector, KRRC, Krishna District is invited to Rule 24 of the Andhra Pradesh Civil Services (Conduct) Rules, 1964, under which no Government Servant shall bring or attempt to bring any political or outside influence to bear upon any superior authority to further his interest in respect of matters pertaining to her service under the Government. If any representation is received on her behalf from another person in respect of any matter dealt within these proceedings, it will be presumed that Sri B.S.Narayana Reddy, the then Tahsildar, Chintalapudi Mandal now working as Special Deputy Collector, KRRC, Krishna District is aware of such a representation and that it has been made at his instance and action will be taken against her for violation of Rule 24 of the Andhra Pradesh Civil Services (Conduct) Rules, 1964.

7. The receipt of the Order be acknowledged.

G. SAI PRASAD

SPECIAL CHIEF SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To

Sri B.S.Narayana Reddy, the then Tahsildar, Chintalapudi Mandal now working as Special Deputy Collector, KRRC, Krishna District (Through the Chief Commissioner of Land Administration, A.P., Mangalagiri for service and to return the served copy with dated acknowledgement immediately (By RPAD)).

The Chief Commissioner of Land Administration, A.P., Mangalagiri

Copy to:

The District Collector, Eluru District

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ANNEXURE-I

STATEMENT OF ARTICLES OF CHARGE FRAMED AGAINST SRI B.S.NARAYANA REDDY, THE THEN TAHSILDAR, CHINTALAPUDI MANDAL NOW WORKING AS SPECIAL DEPUTY COLLECTOR, KRRC, KRISHNA DISTRICT.

ARTICLE OF CHARGE – I:

That he being a responsible public servant while working as Tahasildar, Chintalapudi Mandal from 25.05.2003 to 26.07.2004 has issued PPBs / TDs to the following persons for the lands in R.S.No.26 of Namavaram (v) Chintalapudi(M).

Sl.No.	Name	R.S.No.	Extent	PPB/TD No.	1B No.
1	Smr. Kampasati Annapurna W/o. Nageswara Rao	26/0	8.86	E-429481	210
2	Smt. Kampasati Naga Seetha W/o. Rama Krishna	26/5	10.00	E-429086	218
3	Sri Kampasati Rama Krishna S/o. Nageswara Rao	26/4	10.00	E-429085	216
4	Sri Kampasati Srinivasa Rao, S/o. Nageswara Rao	26/6	10.00	E-429083	217
5	Sri Kampasati Satyanarayana S/o. Nageswara Rao	26/3	10.00	E-429084	215

On a complaint made by the villagers of Namavaram & Pattlayagudem villages of Chintalapudi (M), the said PPBs and TDs were cancelled vide R.D.O's Proceedings Roc.No. 1163/2004, dated 13.12.2004.

The Officer having known fully, the fact regarding the cancellation of PPBs/ TDs by the R.D.O. Eluru, has resorted for issuance of Enjoyment Certificate vide Rc.No.347/2010, dt. 04.2010 to the following persons, for the Forest Land measuring to an extent of Ac.47.15 cts. in Barrikonda Reserve Forest in Compartment No.181 on the guise of R.S.No.26 of Namavaram (v) of Chintalapudi (M).

Sl.No.	Name	Extent Ac.cts.
1	Kampasati Annapurna's land	07.15
2	Kampasati Satyanarayana's land	10.00
3	Kampasati Ramakrishna's land	10.00
4	Kampasati Nagaseetha's land	10.00
5	Kampasati Srinivasa Rao's land	47.15
Total:		

The irregular issuance of the said enjoyment certificate leads to the fling of complaints by the public, which caused much inconvenience to the district administration.

Article of Charge – II:

That he being a responsible public servant while working as Tahsildar, Chintalapudi Mandal has issued enjoyment certificate vide Rc.No.347/2010, dt. 04.2010, to Kampasati Annapurna and four others mentioning that these persons have grown Eucalyptus in an extent of Ac.20.00 cts. Out of Ac.47.15 cts. That they are having right to get the usufruct. Basing on the irregular enjoyment certificate, the persons have tried to encroach the Forest and illegally cut about 40 eucalyptus trees from the plantation. Whereas the said land was actually covered by the Barrikonda Reserve Forest in R.S.No.568 of Raghavapuram (v). The officer with a view to favour the persons for encroachment of Forest Land and also to get the usufruct of Eucalyptus plantation in an irregular way, which caused loss to the Forest land and also loss to the usufruct of Eucalyptus plantation. The irregular issuance of the said enjoyment certificate leads to the fling of complaints by the private persons, caused unnecessary controversy against public interest.

Article of Charge – III:

That he being a responsible public servant while working as Tahsildar, Chintalapudi having known fully regarding fling of Writ Appeal No.1175/2006 filed by Kampasati Annapurna and 4 others in which the Hon'ble High Court of A.P. Hyderabad vide orders dated 08.11.2006 issued directions to pass appropriate orders in furtherance of the directions given by Hon'ble High Court on 19.07.2005 in W.P.No.15571/2005, without passing appropriate orders as per the Court directions, the Tahsildar, Chintalapudi has resorted for issuance of enjoyment certificate to Kampasati Annapurna and others for an extent of Ac.47.15 cts. for the lands in Barrikonda Reserve Forest on the guise of R.S.No.26 of Namavaram (v), who never proved their title in the Survey Number, which facilitates the persons to encroach Reserve Forest in R.S.No.568 of Raghavapuram (v) Chintalapudi (M) and pave way to cut the Eucalyptus trees by the enjoyment certificate holders.

Thus, Sri B.S.Narayana Reddy, the then Tahsildar, Chintalapudi Mandal now working as Special Deputy Collector, KRRC, Krishna District has issued enjoyment certificate without complying the orders of the High Court of A.P. Hyderabad but exhibited lack of integrity, devotion to duty and conduct unbecoming of a Government servant and thereby contravened Rule 3 of A.P.C.S. (Conduct) Rules, 1964.

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ANNEXURE-II

STATEMENT OF IMPUTATIONS OF MISCONDUCT OR MISBEHAVIOUR IN SUPPORT OF THE ARTICLES OF CHARGE FRAMED AGAINST SRI B.S.NARAYANA REDDY, THE THEN TAHSILDAR, CHINTALAPUDI MANDAL NOW WORKING AS SPECIAL DEPUTY COLLECTOR, KRRC, KRISHNA DISTRICT.

The Collector vide his letter, dt: 20.07.2011 has reported that the Divisional Forest Ofcer, Eluru Division has stated that, the Tahsildar Chintalapudi has issued enjoyment Certificate to Kampasati Annapurna and four others for the land measuring to an extent of Ac. 47.15 cts., in R.S. No. 26 in Namavaram (v). Chintalapudi (M), and they have tried to encroach the Forest area illicitly cutting about 40 No. of Eucalyptus trees in the plantation. Therefore he reported to take necessary disciplinary action against the Tahasildar, Chintalapudi (M). Basing on the report of DEO Eluru. Sri. B.S. Narayana Reddy, Tahasildar Chintalapudi (M) was placed under suspension vide Collector W.G. Prog.No.5575/VC/2010, dt:01.7.2010.

The Collector, W.G.Dist., has stated that, the RDO Eluru has reported that an extent of Ac. 70.00 cts. Covered by R.S.No. 26 of Namavaram (V) Chintalapudi (M) is located nearby Barrikonda Reserve Forest that there are registered holders for this land, however, the then MRO Chintalapudi Sri. B.S. Narayana Reddy has issued PPB / TDs to Smt. Kampasati Annapurna and four others for an extent of Ac. 48.85 cts. that on the complaint made by some Villagers of Namavaram & Pattayagudem. The then RDO Eluru has cancelled the PPBs & TDs. The RDO Eluru has also reported that the RDO Eluru has also reported that the Tahasildar, Chintalapudi without passing final orders has issued enjoyment Certificate vide Roc. 347/2010, dt: 04.2010 in R.S.No.26 of Namavaram (V) and they are proved to have encroached Reserve Forest in R.S.No.568 of Reghavapuram (V).

Thus, Sri B.S.Narayana Reddy, the then Tahsildar, Chintalapudi Mandal now working as Special Deputy Collector, KRRC, Krishna District has issued enjoyment certificate without complying the orders of the High Court of A.P. Hyderabad but exhibited lack of integrity, devotion to duty and conduct unbecoming of a Government servant and thereby contravened Rule 3 of A.P.C.S. (Conduct) Rules, 1964.

Hence the charge.

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ANNEXURE- III

LIST OF DOCUMENTS BY WHICH THE ARTICLES OF CHARGE FRAMED AGAINST SRI B.S.NARAYANA REDDY, THE THEN TAHSILDAR, CHINTALAPUDI MANDAL NOW WORKING AS SPECIAL DEPUTY COLLECTOR, KRRC, KRISHNA DISTRICT ARE PROPOSED TO BE SUSTAINED.

1. Divisional Forest Officer, Eluru Division, Eluru Rc.no. 3736/2010/TO, dt: 22.06.2020.
2. R.D.O Eluru Roc.No.1163/2004/A, dt: 02.07.2010

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ANNEXURE-IV

LIST OF WITNESSES BY WHOM THE ARTICLES OF CHARGE FRAMED AGAINST SRI B.S.NARAYANA REDDY, THE THEN TAHSILDAR, CHINTALAPUDI MANDAL NOW WORKING AS SPECIAL DEPUTY COLLECTOR, KRRC, KRISHNA DISTRICT.ARE PROPOSED TO BE SUSTAINED.

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